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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Santoro et al.

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For: METHODS OF TREATING

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INFLAMMATORY AND VIRAL DISORDERS BY ADMINISTERING CYCLOPENTENONE COMPOUNDS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application mailed June 9, 2000, be extended for a period of 4 month(s) from August 9, 2000 to and including December 9, 2000.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$1,390.00. Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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